



## National Economic Development Procedures Manual

**Status:**

In Progress

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**Purpose:**

The Institute for Water Resources (IWR) published a set of national economic development procedures manuals on major Corps of Engineers water resource missions between 1987 and 1991. Mission areas included urban and agricultural flood damage reduction, deep draft navigation, recreation, storm damage prevention (coastal) and NED costs. An overview manual summarizes the basic principles common to these missions. The manuals are basic important references for economists and others involved in planning and analysis of Federal water resource projects. They summarize the concepts of how these projects create NED benefits and how benefits are measured and calculated.

**Objective:**

The ultimate goal is to develop web-based interactive versions of the manuals with links to relevant and timely guidance, data sources, and case examples in addition to the hard copies.

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